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calc_expected_infections
```

Calculate the expected number of infections in a cohort

#### **Description**

Calculate the expected number of infections in a cohort

#### Usage

```
calc_expected_infections(vc, disease, kindergarten_size, VE, r0_custom = NULL)
```

## **Arguments**

#### Value

The expected number of infected individuals.

'disease' is "Custom".

```
calc_expected_infections(vc = 0.85, disease = "Measles", kindergarten_size = 200, VE = 0.97)
calc_expected_infections(
  vc = 0.90, disease = "Custom", kindergarten_size = 150, VE = 0.90, r0_custom = 7
)
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Calculate the effective reproduction number (Re)

# Description

Calculate the effective reproduction number (Re)

# Usage

```
calc_re(vc, disease, VE, r0_custom = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

vc Vaccination coverage rate (proportion, 0 to 1).

disease Character string: "Measles", "Pertussis", "Chickenpox", or "Custom".

VE Vaccine effectiveness (proportion, 0 to 1).

r0\_custom The basic reproduction number (R0) for a custom disease. Required only if

'disease' is "Custom".

#### Value

The effective reproduction number (Re).

#### **Examples**

```
# For a standard disease
calc_re(vc = 0.92, disease = "Measles", VE = 0.97)
# For a custom disease like mumps (R0 approx. 10-12)
calc_re(vc = 0.88, disease = "Custom", VE = 0.85, r0_custom = 11)
```

 ${\tt florida\_vaccine\_coverage}$ 

Kindergarten Vaccination Coverage for Florida Counties

# Description

A dataset containing the percentage of kindergarten students who have completed required immunizations for school entry in Florida counties.

# Usage

```
florida_vaccine_coverage
```

#### **Format**

A data frame with 748 rows and 3 variables:

County The name of the county in Florida, plus a statewide "Florida" total.

**Year** The calendar year of the report, from 2016 to 2024.

**Coverage\_Rate** The proportion (0 to 1) of kindergarten students with complete immunizations.

#### Source

Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Immunization.

```
plot_coverage_history Plot Historical Vaccination Coverage Rate
```

# Description

Plot Historical Vaccination Coverage Rate

# Usage

```
plot_coverage_history(county_name, save_data_to = NULL)
```

#### **Arguments**

county\_name A character vector of county names to plot.
save\_data\_to Optional file path to save the plot's data.

#### Value

A ggplot object.

```
plot_coverage_history(county_name = c("Florida", "Miami-Dade", "Liberty"))
```

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plot\_outbreak\_prob

Plot Outbreak Probability vs. Coverage

#### **Description**

Plot Outbreak Probability vs. Coverage

#### Usage

```
plot_outbreak_prob(
  disease = "Measles",
  VE = NULL,
  r0_custom = NULL,
  save_data_to = NULL
)
```

## **Arguments**

disease The disease to model. Default is "Measles".

VE Vaccine effectiveness. If NULL (the default), a sensible default is used for the

chosen disease (e.g., 0.97 for Measles). A user-provided value (0 to 1) will

override the default.

r0\_custom The basic reproduction number (R0) for a custom disease. Required only if

'disease' is "Custom".

save\_data\_to Optional file path to save the plot's data.

#### Value

A ggplot object.

```
# Plot with default VE for Pertussis (~0.85)
plot_outbreak_prob(disease = "Pertussis")
# Override default VE for Pertussis
plot_outbreak_prob(disease = "Pertussis", VE = 0.91)
```

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plot\_risk\_curve

Plot the Risk Curve of Expected Infections

#### **Description**

Plot the Risk Curve of Expected Infections

# Usage

```
plot_risk_curve(
   disease = "Measles",
   kindergarten_size = 200,
   VE = NULL,
   r0_custom = NULL,
   save_data_to = NULL
)
```

# Arguments

disease The disease to model. Default is "Measles".

kindergarten\_size

The size of the school cohort. Default is 200.

VE Vaccine effectiveness. If NULL (the default), a sensible default is used for the

chosen disease (e.g., 0.97 for Measles). A user-provided value (0 to 1) will

override the default.

r0\_custom The basic reproduction number (R0) for a custom disease. Required only if

'disease' is "Custom".

save\_data\_to Optional file path to save the plot's underlying data.

#### Value

A ggplot object.

```
# Plot with default VE for Pertussis (~0.85)
plot_risk_curve(disease = "Pertussis")
# Plot for a custom disease, requires VE and r0_custom
plot_risk_curve(disease = "Custom", VE = 0.85, r0_custom = 12)
```

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prob\_major\_outbreak

Calculate the probability of a major outbreak

# Description

Calculate the probability of a major outbreak

#### Usage

```
prob_major_outbreak(Re)
```

#### **Arguments**

Re

The effective reproduction number.

#### Value

The probability of a major outbreak (1 - 1/Re).

#### **Examples**

```
prob_major_outbreak(Re = 2.05)
```

prob\_sec\_case

Calculate the probability of at least one secondary infection

# Description

Calculate the probability of at least one secondary infection

## Usage

```
prob_sec_case(Re)
```

# **Arguments**

Re

The effective reproduction number.

#### Value

The probability of at least one secondary infection.

```
prob_sec_case(Re = 2.05)
```

summary\_coverage

Summarize Vaccination Coverage for a Given Year

#### **Description**

Retrieves and sorts the vaccination coverage rates for all Florida counties for a specified year.

#### Usage

```
summary_coverage(yr)
```

#### **Arguments**

yr

The year to summarize (e.g., 2024).

#### Value

A tibble with columns 'County' and 'Coverage\_Rate' (as a numeric proportion), sorted in descending order of the coverage rate.

#### **Examples**

```
# Get a summary of vaccine coverage for 2024
summary_coverage(yr = 2024)
```

```
summary_infection_risk
```

Generate an Outbreak Risk Simulation Table

#### Description

Creates a summary table of outbreak risk for a given year. The analysis includes scenarios for the statewide average coverage rate as well as for counties at the minimum, maximum, and quartile coverage rates. This function can model pre-set diseases or a custom disease with a user-specified R0.

#### Usage

```
summary_infection_risk(
  yr,
  disease = "Measles",
  kindergarten_size = 200,
  VE = NULL,
  r0_custom = NULL
)
```

#### **Arguments**

yr The year for the analysis (e.g., 2024).

disease The disease to model. Choose from "Measles", "Pertussis", "Chickenpox", or

"Custom". Default is "Measles".

kindergarten\_size

The size of the school cohort. Default is 200.

VE Vaccine effectiveness. If NULL (the default), a sensible default is used for the

chosen disease (e.g., 0.97 for Measles). A user-provided value (0 to 1) will

override the default.

r0\_custom The basic reproduction number (R0) for a custom disease. This parameter is

required and must be a positive number if 'disease' is set to "Custom".

#### Value

A data frame containing the formatted risk analysis table.

```
# Example 1: Standard analysis for Measles in 2024 (uses default VE of 0.97)
summary_infection_risk(yr = 2024, disease = "Measles")

# Example 2: Analysis for Pertussis, overriding the default VE
summary_infection_risk(yr = 2024, disease = "Pertussis", VE = 0.91)

# Example 3: Analysis for a custom disease (e.g., Mumps-like)
summary_infection_risk(yr = 2024, disease = "Custom", VE = 0.88, r0_custom = 11)
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